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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s) : Dr. Dieter WENNINGER; Dr. Stefan RÖBER; Wolfgang DAVID; Ralf SCHLIEPHACKE  
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In accordance with 37 CFR § 1.56 and § 1.97(b), Applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the reference listed on the accompanying form PTO-1449, copies of which are enclosed.

Applicants also enclose an English-language abstract of DE 34 31 239, attached to the first page of said reference.

These references are relevant because they are cited in Applicants' description.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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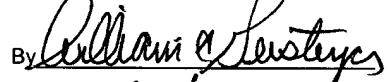
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